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ACTIVITY PROGRAM

CORONA Prime

REFERENCE: COR-0829, dated 24 May 1960

1. PURPOSE:

To cover work in FY 1961, including increases in scope of work and overruns by the prime contractor and sub-contractors in the CORONA Prime program relating to the fabrication, test and launch of eleven (11) satellite reconnaissance systems.

2. DESCRIPTION OF WORK OR SERVICES REQUIRED:

a. Lockheed Missile Systems Division (Prime Contractor): increase of costs of [redacted] relating to the addition of three CORONA Prime units to the program; a [redacted] increase in costs due to stretch out and slippage in firings in the program; a [redacted] increase relating to various changes incorporated in units and a [redacted] fee on the foregoing resulting from increases in scope of work of sub-contractors: total increase in cost - [redacted]

b. TRW/Fairchild (Sub-Contractors for Camera Systems): additional costs, [redacted] resulting from an increase in scope of work for three additional CORONA Prime camera systems and a [redacted] increase in costs relating to changes incorporated in the camera systems: total increase in cost - [redacted]

c. General Electric Corporation (Sub-Contractor for nose cones and recovery systems): changes, both technical and in the direction of the program to achieve greater reliability, which include scope of work increases and an overrun: total increase in cost - [redacted] (Overrun being negotiated, approximately [redacted]).

d. Eastman-Kodak - film procurement and processing costs: total - [redacted]

3. EXPECTED ADDITIONAL OR RELATED WORK OR SERVICES:

None

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Page 35. DELIVERY SCHEDULE OR PERIOD OF PERFORMANCE:

Work scheduled for completion within FY 1961, barring slippage in launch dates in the program.

6. REMARKS:

Attached are recapitulations of CORONA Prime funding.

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## CONCURRENCE:

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Funding required in the program, noted above,  
subject to the availability of funds  
APPROVED or Recommended for APPROVAL:

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7. CONDITIONS OF APPROVAL:

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